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THE OYEN NEWS

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Excel Items

Excel Ladies Aid held their April meeting at the home of Mrs. Horace Bishop, with a large attendance. Devotional services were conducted by the president. Mrs. S. B. Gullekson gave a short reading on the "History of the Bible".

Members were then given ten minutes to form as many words as possible from the word "Corinthians", this was won by Mrs. Wetherall with forty-two words. Roll call at the next meeting will be answered by an original verse of four or more lines entitled "Mother". The meeting will be on May 3. at the home of Mrs. E. H. Church.

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Miss Ellenora Ellertson left on Tuesday to undergo an operation for appendicitis in Calgary.

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Mr. R. Martin is now permanently in charge at the Excel depot. Mr. Martin is well known along the Goose Lake Line.

WEDDING

McKEE—HARDER

The marriage of Hertha Harder of Rosemary, Alta. and Mr. William McKee of Sunnydale was solemnized at East Coulee, Alta. on Tuesday, April 10.

OYEN THEATRE

Saturday Only

APRIL 21

ZANE GREY'S

"Life in the Raw"

—with—

GEORGE O'BRIEN
CLAIRE TREVOR
and GRETA NISSING

Alberta Legislature Prorogues After Long Session

After being in session for almost ten weeks, the Alberta legislature prorogued Monday. During the session which proved to be one of the longest of recent years, seventy-six bills were passed. In the previous session sixty-nine bills were passed.

During the closing hours of the session congratulations were tendered Hon. George Hoadley, minister of agriculture, over having completed twenty-five years as a member of the Alberta House.

Second Performance of "Mr. Bob" is Enjoyed

"Friday the Thirteenth" was not so good, so say the members of the cast which staged a second performance of the two-act comedy "Mr. Bob" in the basement of the United church last Friday. Two of the cast, Mrs. J. F. Martin and Mr. Louis Gillespie were on the sick list, but very pluckily carried on. Disagreeable weather affected the attendance. While there was a fairly good turnout, many who intended to see the play did not venture out, with the result that the proceeds did not come up to expectations. The audience, however, thoroughly enjoyed the play, which was presented in a manner that left nothing to be desired. Each member of the cast played their respective part delightfully and the arrangement of

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THE WEATHER

On Tuesday, Friday and Saturday of last week, high winds were prevalent causing considerable soil drifting. Since Saturday, the weather has been fine and mostly calm with warmer temperatures.

Spring Clean-up

Many Oyen residents who have already cleaned up their yards and gardens, are troubled with papers and tumbling weeds coming from premises not yet cleaned. With nice weather prevailing a general clean-up in the village limits is desirable in the interest of good health. Rake up and burn the accumulated rubbish on your lot, and while doing so, do not overlook the back lane.

Dr. D. L. Dick

Physician and Surgeon

Office on First Avenue East

PHONE No. 7

OYEN - ALTA.

CHURCH SERVICES

SUNDAY, APRIL 22

OYEN UNITED CHURCH

EXCEL ..... 11.00 a.m.
SUPERIOR .... 2.30 p.m.

OYEN ..... 7.30 p.m.

Rev. E. F. KEMP

All are cordially invited.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH

Evensong..... 3.00 p.m.

Rev. C. M. K. PARSONS

SACRED HEART CHURCH

Mass ..... 11.00 a.m.

Rev. Fr. J. C. LYNETT

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FOR SALE—Second hand double disc drill and spring tooth cultivator, Apply. W. V. Miller, Oyen, Alberta.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Duffy of Oyen. on Tuesday, April 3, 1934, a son.

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Mr. J. D. Wenger, who has been spending the winter months in Calgary, returned to Oyen a week ago Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Miller and son Bert and Mrs. R. C. Waller, left last Sunday for Calgary, where they will spend a few days.

About Town and Country

EYES EXAMINED at Oyen hotel on Monday afternoon, April 30. E. J. Anderson. B. Sc., in attendance. Free demonstration of Hearing Aid.

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Word has been received from the Home Mission Board of the United Church of Canada, of the appointment of Mr. Douglas R. Gordon of Toronto, to the Acadia Valley charge. Services will be commenced on Sunday, April 29th. and continued through the summer.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Martin motored to Eatonia, Sask., last Sunday to visit Mrs. Martin's parents. Mrs. Martin will afterwards go to Unity to visit her brother. Mr. Martin returned to Oyen Sunday night.

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Miss A. M. Todd, Mrs. M. Acheson and Mrs. C. L. Dunford were Alsask visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. E. J. Keown, who recently underwent an operation in Holy Cross hospital, Calgary, is now reported to be making satisfactory progress to recovery. Earl and Harold returned home from Calgary on Monday. Mr. Keown staying in the city for a few more days.

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Miss Nettie Kornichenko was the guest of honor at a social evening spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. McLaren, on Tuesday following the regular weekly choir practice. Miss Kornichenko is leaving next week with her parents for Mean ook, near Athabasca.

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Second Performance of "Mr. Bob" is Enjoying

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the stage by Mr. Austen, made a beautiful setting.

The players who took part were: Rev. and Mrs. E. F. Kemp, Mrs. J. F. Martin, Mrs. R. Nisbet, Mr. S. A. Miller and Mr. Louis Gillespie.

Following the play, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Scott entertained the cast and a number of friends at a delightful social at their home.

CHAS. L. DUNFORD
A Commissioner for Oaths

Twenty eight years ago today, the city of San Francisco was almost demolished by earthquake and fire.

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Considerable work is being done at the theatre this week in the way of renovating. The building is being entirely re-wired and changes in the lighting system are being made. Just before going to press the News was informed that a big double feature program will be shown on Saturday night at regular prices.

USE ADVERTISING SPACE IN THE COLUMNS OF THE NEWS

Art School in Rockies

A. C. Leighton, R.B.A., president of the Government Art College at Calgary, who will again this year hold his summer art school for selected students from the province of Alberta at the Kananaskis Dude Ranch near Banff. Mr. Leighton, who is a grand nephew of the late Lord Leighton, president of the British Academy from 1878 to 1896, has been painting for years at Banff and through the Canadian Rockies. He is also head of the Institute of Technology and Art in connection with the University of Alberta. Some years ago through his paintings of the old windmills of Kent and Sussex he was largely responsible for the movement to retain and restore these historic landmarks. The Kananaskis Dude Ranch operated by Mrs. Bill Brewster, is well known throughout Canada and the United States and is situated in the beautiful valley of the Bow River, and is surrounded by the most magnificent of Canadian Rocky Mountain scenery.

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